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Motored in flawless weather through beautiful agricultural land, some 65 kilometers, to Formentor. The approach by a winding road through the mountains -- no mean engineering success -- is magnificent. The resort hotel, standing in pines and facing the marvellous bay, is [redacted] attractive.

We went nearby to Carmen Esnault-Peterie's Villa de Quinos. E. had a cold and fever and did not swim. Jeanne and Pierre de Fleurieu, Colette Gérard, and Roland de Margerie's sister were all staying there, and we swam in the incomparable water.

Carmen's house is charming -- small and modern, with a salt-water swimming pool to boot, for use in stormy weather. We had a fine Spanish lunch -- excellent melon, shellfish and rice, grapes and other fruits. I tasted Sangaria for the first time in Spain. It is composed of red wine, ice, lemons and oranges. At home I have often drunk it at Staunton Hill, where it was called Sangaree, and made in precisely the same fashion. It is a [redacted] satisfactory hot weather drink and I suppose was introduced into the United States via the West Indies.

Carmen, as always, was enchanting. We had a drive back of an hour and a half in dazzling sunshine, but the air is dry and one is never uncomfortable.

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